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POST TIME!

Yes, we've finally got a quorum for CIRCUS MAXIMUS. And what would be a horse race without betting? So we're opening up the game to the betting public (Rule 26). To sum them up, each better has 10,000 sesterces (s). All bets are in units of 100 s (so a bet for 200 s is OK, but one for 150 s isn't). If players who are racing bet, they must bet on their own chariots and may bet on others as long as the total s on the other chariots doesn't exceed that on their own. Odds are determined by dividing the total amount bet by the amount bet on each chariot. Only the winner pays off (i.e., nothing for place or show). Bets can also be placed at the end of the 1st and 2nd laps. See p 16 for the starting list.

Some of our newcomers, tradists, and the curious ask what our sub fee and game fees are. Well, the sub fee is plainly described at the bottom of p 19; it is currently \$9 for 12 issues by post. Expect that to go up once the USPS makes its move. We have no foreign (or even Canadian) subscribers, but their rate would probably be adjusted for postage. At this point there are no game fees. I don't particularly believe in them, especially in games like GUNSLINGER or DIPLOMACY where one's tenure could be very short. I have considered them for STELLAR CONQUEST, which is run almost independently of BORIS, and for the "map" games (18xx, SILVERTON, possibly DUNE, and CIRCUS MAXIMUS), which would then have a map insert in the copies of those who played those games, freeing space in the issue for other frivolity. A map "surcharge" could run something like 33¢/issue (23¢ for excess postage and 10¢ for duping the extra sheet), which would increase a sub by about \$4. On the other hand, anyone who might be vaguely interested in playing the "map" games, wouldn't be able to figure out what's going on and might never take the plunge to buy a copy and join in.

ALTERNATE ALERT: Drew Franz is NMR (for sure this time), so his Italian portfolio in "Boris VII" and his French portfolio in "Boris VIII" are up for grabs. Interested players should send orders for either or both.

BORIS'S BULLETIN BOARD

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH: Habit 5: First seek to understand, then to be understood.
—Stephen Covey

Chris Hassler has kindly sent us a copy of his MOV mapsheet, and we'll reciprocate by announcing that he has openings in DUNE (7-player Landsraad variant), MOV, MACHIAVELLI, NEW WORLD, and TIME AGENT. See I-NET and subscriber sections for his addresses. His 'zine, SOB, runs 75¢ an issue and playing usually engenders a game fee.

Any of you e-mail types interested in playing REPUBLIC OF ROME? We have a game on GENIE that has been in limbo for about three months for lack of a sub. We're in the Middle Republic and not in too bad shape. Contact J.GEORGE@GENIE.GEIS.COM for details if interested.

BOOS & KUDOS

This month's Madame Bolduc Press Excellence Award goes jointly to the authors of the Reuters article in "Boris VII" and the *Stockholm Midnight Sun* article in "Boris VIII".

This month's Ms Nar Super-Sudsy Bomb goes to the Huns for delay of game.

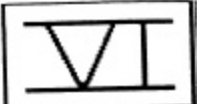
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AUSTRIA STUMBLES!

Pound Rebounds!

Fall 1909



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WALL STREET JOURNAL--Archduke Morrison's drive for European hegemony was blunted this season by a *de facto* coalition of the remaining Powers. Duke Andrew has managed a delicate balance of cooperation and mendacity in aiding the Russian assault on BER while simultaneously "relieving" Tsar David of STP. The French have begun guerrilla warfare in hopes of sustaining their waning chances. Analysts expect further growth for the pound, hard times for the franc, and minimal movement in the kroner and ruble.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Russia retreats A DEN to SWI and A RUM to SEV.

AUS (Morrison): A Par H. [F Spa(sc) S A Bur-Mar], F Wes S F Spa(sc), [A Ric S A Ber](r-???), [A Bur-Mar], [A Ber S A Kie](r-???), [A Sil S A Ber], [A Rum S A Ser-Bul], A Bud S A Rum, [A Ser-Bul], F Gre S A Ser-Bul, [F Ion-Aeg], A Ven-Pie, A Gal S A Rum;

ENG (York): A Hol S F Den-Kie, F Den-Kie, F Nth-Eng, F Bar S F StP(sc), F StP(sc) H. [F Nwy-Swe];

FRA (Rezzarday): [A Gas-Par], [A Mar-Bur], [F Lyo-Spa(sc)];

RUS (Anderson): A Ukr S A Sev-Rum, [A Sev-Rum], [A Pru-Ber], [A War-Sil], [F Aeg S A Bul], F Bal S A Pru-Ber, A Mos S A Lvn-War, F Con S A Bul, [A Lvn-War], A Swe H, A Bul H.

Orders in brackets fail; d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid retreat; imp = impossible; nso = unit not so ordered; nsp = no such place; nau = no such unit; oth = off the board; otm = unit on the move, r-??? = unit is dislodged and must retreat; u = unordered. Austrian A BER must retreat oth or to MUN; A KIE must retreat oth or to MUN or RUH. Note if both are ordered to MUN, neither go and effectively becomes two othas.

SUPPLY CENTER CHART

AUS: Bud Tri Ser Nap Rom Ven Vic Tun -Ber Gre Spa -Kie Mun Par +Rum

(13) Tear 1*

ENG: Edi Lon Lpl Hol Nwy Bel +Kie +StP

(8) Build 2

FRA: Bre Por Mar

(3) Even

RUS: Mos Sev War Con Smy Ank Bul Den -Rum -StP Swe +Ber

(10) Tear 1

* If Austria retreats either A BER or A KIE oth, he is even. If both go oth, he may build 1.

Due next time are orders for the retreats, builds/tears and Spring 1910.

EMBASSY BEAT

FR-AUS: You will pay for your insurance!

ALDA-CHUR

Company	\$	Kroner	Pounds	Francs	Rubles	Value
RVE	89	220	0	0	75	\$3879
NEWBOT	4	192	0	0	74	\$3240
WOMEX	1	0	333	0	0	\$2865
PRB	0	0	331	0	0	\$2848
USED	0	183	20	0	0	\$2539
RETW	2293	0	0	0	0	\$2293
CCH	1	80	0	0	0	\$1041
FROG	10	73	0	0	0	\$ 959
MT	0	0	0	0	0	\$ 0

LEGEND: CCH = Corporation for Currency Holding, FROG = Federal Reserve Option and Guarantee, NEWBOT = Neenah World Board of Trade, PRB = People's Revolutionary Bank, RETW = Retired Wayne, RVE = RV Exchange, USED = Uranian Circus Exchange & Depository, WOMEX = Wordelmann's Monetary Exchange.

The Alda-Chur Bourse is open this season.



Frueh New French Prez! Italians Riot!

VOL

Fall 1904

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ERRATA: We used fossil orders for England last time; the correct ones were F StP(nc) H. F Edi-Nrg. F Lon-Nth. F Lpi-lri. (F Eng S GER A Hol-Bell(nso). This results in the same board position except there are now Beets in NRG and ENG instead of EDI and LON.

MURKWOOD: The French electorate, frustrated with France's foreign policy, have handed M. Cohn a decisive defeat and elected M. Freuh who ran on the campaign promise: "France has many enemies; I'll just screw them all!" The Kaiser was the first to feel the new French resolve. The Italian populace, fearing a French invasion, has shut down the Italian government in hopes of changing Rome's policies towards France. Meanwhile Austria has been "stung" by a budding Russo-Turkish alliance. Marshal One-Eyed's greatest hope is Italian aid; his greatest fear Italian greed.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

France retreats A BEL to RUH and A MAR to GAS.

AUS (Shacklett): [A Rum S A Gre-Bul](r-???). A Bud-Ser. F Aeg S A Gre-Bul. [A Gre-Bul](r-???). [A Gal S A Rum];

ENG (Hanna): F StP(nc)-Nwy. F Eng-Mid. F Nrg-NAT. F Iri S F Eng-Mid. F Nth-Eng;

FRA (Freuh): A Par-Pic. [A Gas-Spa]. A Ruh-Mun. A Bar S A Ruh-Mun. [F Bre-Mid];

GER (Morrison): F Bel S A Hol. F Ska-Den. [A Swe S F Ska-Den]. A Ber-Kie. A Hol S F Bel;

ITA (Franz): NMR F Spa(sc) H(u). F Mar H(u). A Pie H(u). A Rom H(u). F Tyn H(u);

RUS (Carbonneau): A Ukr S A Sev-Rum. [A War-Gal]. [F Bel-Swe]. A Sev-Rum;

TUR (Anderson): A Bul S F Ion-Gre. F Bla S A Bul. A Smy-Con. F Ion-Gre.

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SUPPLY CENTER CHART

AUS: Bud Tri Vie -Gre Ser

(4) Tear 1*

ENG: Edi Lon Lpi Nwy StP

(5) Even

FRA: Bre -Mar Par -Bel Por +Mun

(4) Tear 2

GER: Ber Kie -Mun Den Hol +Bel -Swe

(6) Build 1

ITA: Nap Rom Ven Tun Spa +Mar

(6) Build 1

RUS: Mos War -Swe Sev -Rum

(4) Even

TUR: Ank Con Smy Bul -Rum +Gre

(5) Even

Due next time are retreats, builds/tears, and orders for Spring 1905. Martin has resigned, so we have a new French player.

EMBASSY BEAT

MOSCOW: To Ambassadors of the other powers. Civil disturbances have been quashed, your safety is assured unless you're responsible. Outside unguings for civil disturbances will NOT be tolerated.

VIENNA--The Austrian government is pursuing the assassins responsible for the death of the previous head of the the government. An intercepted diplomatic pouch provided to the Austrian government implicates the elements of a Turkish faction. We hereby warn any and all governments that we will not rest until the culprits are apprehended.

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

London (Reuters) The Royal Post Office released the first sheet of new stamps bearing the likeness of the Emperor Charles Napoleon. It is rumoured that at least six previous designs were personally rejected by the emperor, four of them "because they make me look bald". The summary execution of three different ministers who noted that the Royal Hair IS a bit thin did nothing to improve Post

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EUROPE REARMS!

French Pacifists Paralyze
Nation!

VIII

Winter 1981/82

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CLIFFHOME--Calling on Socialists of the world "to unite and frustrate the Capitalist plot against the Workers." France's Socialists have brought the nation to a standstill with their strikes, bridge blockages, and mass demonstrations in the streets of Paris. Alas, their foreign brethren aren't heeding the call. In Germany, there have been small riots trying to get into the recruiting office to fight for *der Vaterland*. In Turkey, Sultan Als Wayne declared a jihad against all infidels after foreign complicity in the murder of the prior Sultan was discovered. Austrians are fed up with Serbian insults and provocations and may not care if that brings Russia into the fray. In Russia, 200,000 men swore off vodka for the duration of the war. The thin veneer of civilization has worn off and the Continent is about to pay the price.

TROOP POSITIONS

AUS (Fryling): A Ser, A Bud, F Gre, +A Vie, +A Tri;
ENG (Anderson): A Lon, F Nwy, F Nth, +F Edi;
FRA (Franz): NMR A Mun, A Bel, F Eng;
GER (Carbonneau): A Hol, A Ruh, F Den, +A Kis;
ITA (Zodda): A Ven, A Pic, F Tun, +F Nap;
RUS (R. Fisher): A Arm, A Rum, F Bla, F Bot, +A StP;
TUR (Morrison): F Aeg, A Bul, A Ank, +A Smy.

Orders in brackets fail; d = unit destroyed due to lack of valid retreat; imp = impossible; nso = unit not so ordered; nsp = no such place; nsu = no such unit; oth = off the board; otm = unit on the move, f-??? = unit is dislodged and must retreat; u = unordered.

Due next time are orders for Spring 1902 only.

EMBASSY BEAT

Italy to World: Why didn't anyone tell me that the Frog was so good at this game? Not only is he so intelligent as to be able to outguess me regarding Marseilles, but he was even capable of executing a tricky stab of Germany. This game should prove to be a great battle between him and Wormtongue."

BORIS WORLD PRESS REVIEW

Bucharest Bugle: An (U)ronic Column: Renowned Athenian comic, Makris Aris is knocking them dead at the Imperial Arms with one-liner such as these: "Well, the Austrian Geel's in Athens--hello, sailor and lock up the goats! Only kidding, ha, ha, but have you seen these guys? Strictly from hunger(y). Haha, no really, we're really glad to see them, and their kroners in Athens."

Kiev Steppe Star: The untimely death of the Sultan apparently caused the Turkish troops accompanying the diplomatic mission here to riot. Several shops were looted and numerous citizens injured. Foreign Minister Fisher has ordered F BLA to Turkey to fetch responsible officials to remove the captured troops from the country.

Stockholm Midnight Sun: The Russian and German fleets nearly met with disaster when they both tried to enter the harbor from a massive fog bank simultaneously.

"Yumpin Yeminie, it ban almos a big kaboggit. Tey boff so scared dey hightailed it into da fog an we nut seed tem again," an eye witness reported. "It was de moss fun heir since Swen coote his hair in the outbird moutr."

CLASSIFIEDS

GM to Italy: Fell for the old "Don't move into MAR" trick, eh?



BRITANNIA

Turn 1B/2A



The Cast:

PURPLE: Paul Zieske
GREEN: Chuck Hanna

BLUE: David Anderson
RED: Wayne Morrison

The Board:

ROMANS: F @ Avalon, Essex, S Mercia, Suffolk, Sussex, Wessex, 2A.F @ Cheshire, Devon, March, N Mercia, Powys, York. 1A.F @ Bernicia, Kent, Norfolk.
BELGAE (1): 1A @ Downlands, 3A @ Lindsey.
WELSH (0.5): 1A each @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Gwent, Hwicce
BRIGANTES: 1A each @ Cumbria, Galloway, Lothian, Strathclyde; 3A @ Pennines.
PICTS: 1A each @ Alban, Dalraida, Dunedin, Mar. Moray, Skye
CALEDONIANS: 1A each @ Caithness, Hebrides, Orkneys

BRIGANTES (0): Grow 4 Population Pts. Place 1A @ Pennines. Move 4A @ Pennines to Bernicia. COMBAT: (1:4;6:5;2,3) Kill 1 Roman Legion & F.
PICTS (0): Grow 3.5 Population Pts. Place 1A @ Moray. Move 2A Moray & 1A Skye to Caithness, 1A Alban to Skye, 1A Dunedin to Alban. COMBAT: (6,3,3:4 - 1 Cal)
CALEDONIANS (0): Grow 1 Population Pt.

SCORE: Purple 16.5, Red 4, Green 1, Blue 0.

TURN 2

ROMANS: 1A Devon-Dyfed, 1A Powys-Gwynedd, 1A Powys-Gwent, 1A Devon-Gwent, 2A Cheshire-Cumbria, 2A N Mercia-Bernicia, 2A March-Hwicce, 2A York-Bernicia, 1A Kent-Downlands, 1A Norfolk-Downlands. COMBAT: Welsh submit; Romans withdraw 2A Gwent-???, 2A Hwicce-???. Cumbria (4,3:2 - 1 Brig), Bernicia (6,4,3,3:6,2,1,1 - 1 Rom, -2 Brig) (6,3,1:1,1 - 1 Brig) (1 Brig r-Lothian), Downlands (6,3: - 1 Bel).

We'll halt here. Due are the Roman withdrawals from Welsh satrapies and the rest of Turn 2. If the Romans can send their Turn 3 orders that would be appreciated.

SCORE: Purple 22, Red 7, Green 1, Blue 0.

BELGAE (1): Grow 0.5 Population Pt.
WELSH (0.5): Grow 2.5 Population Pt if Romans allow.
BRIGANTES (1): Grow 2.5 Population Pts
PICTS (0.5): Grow 2.5 Population Pts.
CALEDONIANS (1): Grow 1 Population Pt.

The Board:

ROMANS: F @ Avalon, Cheshire, Devon, Essex, Kent, March, Norfolk, N Mercia, Powys, S Mercia, Suffolk, Sussex, Wessex, York. 1A.F @ Dyfed, Gwynedd, 2A.F @ Downlands, Cumbria, 3A @ Bernicia, 2A @ Hwicce (r-???) Gwent (r-???)
BELGAE (1): 3A @ Lindsey.
WELSH (0.5): 1A each @ Clwyd, Cornwall, Gwent, Hwicce
BRIGANTES: 1A each @ Galloway, Strathclyde; 2A @ Lothian.
PICTS: 1A each @ Alban, Dalraida, Mar. Moray; 3A @ Caithness
CALEDONIANS: 1A each @ Hebrides, Orkneys

LEGEND: A = army, C = cavalry, F = fort, L = leader, R = raider, (#) = population points, r-??? = retreats to ???. * = has submitted.

--BORIS VII (continued from p 3)

Office morale. The new stamps feature an oversize crown atop the Royal Head. Foreign Secretary Sir Reginald Fudge remarked that the issuance of the new stamps will be a great help in the present war effort. "Now we will be able to communicate once again with our many valued allies. We of course apologize profusely for the lack of timely dispatches."

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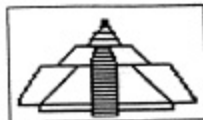
Be careful all that your attentions not be focused on presumed foes instead of real foes.

--BOLDHORN on p 16



GILGAMESH

EPOCH IV
HUNS STILL GAME!



ERRATA: Black's score should be 40. Purple got one too many points for N Africa during his Gupta move.

THE CAST:

Scott Cameron (Black = B)
Chuck Hanna (Azure = A)
Wayne Morrison (Purple = P)

Mark Frueh (Green = G)
TJ Klausutis (Orange = O)
Michael Tsuk (Red = R)

EPOCH IV (continued)

BOARD:

A1: G Lakes, G Plains; **A11:** Balkans (2), Caucasus, L Indus (M), Persian Plat (c,M), U Indus (M); **A111:** Albion, C Europe, Ireland (2), N Gaul
B1: W Ghats; **B11:** Arab Pen, C Massif, Dalmatia, E Anatolia, Levant (M), Nile Delta, N Appenines, Nubia, Palestine, Pindus, S Appenines (c,M), U Nile, U Tigris (F,M), W Anatolia, Zagros
G11: Hindu Kush (2), L Tigris (M), M Tigris (c), S Iberia (c,F); **G111:** Chekiang, Tarim Basin, Yellow R (c)
O1: Congo Basin, S Africa, Turanian Pl; **O11:** C America (C), Guiana High, Persian Salt Desert; **O111:** Ganges Delta (c), GPOC (c,M), Irrawaddy, Mongolia, Szechuan, Wei R
P11: Highlands (c,F), W Deccan; **P111:** Crete (c), Libya, Morea; **P1V:** Ceylon, E Deccan (M,C), E Ghats, Malay Pen, Mekong, Si-Kyang, Sumatra
R11: Pyrenees (3,F), Shatts Plateau (3,C,F), W Iberia; **R111:** Ganges V (2)
Fleets: Black S (1B), E Med (1B), Bay of Bengal (1P), W Med (1R).

Score: P(62), G(50), O(48), R(42), B(40), A(33)

GOths (B): Play "Gold Coast" (1A,c,F) and "Empire Fortifica(2)" (+1F to S Appenines & Palestine). Play 1A @ Danubia, 1A @ Dnieper, 1A @ Baltic Seaboard, 1A @ L Rhine, 1A @ C Europe (6,4:3 -1A111), 1A @ N Eur Pl, 1A @ E Steppes, 1A @ Wei R (5,1:4,1 -1O111), 1A @ Yangste-Kiu, 1A @ GPOC (4,1:2 -1O111,c). Score 40 + C(1x2) = c(1) + M(2) + S(2) - Mid E(D=6) + N Afr(D=4) + China(D=6) + India(P=3) + S Eur(D=6) + N Eur(D=4) = 76.

HUNS (B): Play "Jihad". Play 1A @ W Steppe, 1A @ E Steppe (5,3,3:2 -1BIV), 1A @ Wei R (2,2,1:5,3; 5,5:4,1 -1BIV,1OIV), 1A @ Yangste Kian (6,1:1 -1BIV), 1A @ GPOC (2,1:6; 4,1:4; 4,2:1 -1BIV), 1A @ Chekiang (3,2:1 -1G111), 1A @ Tarim Basin (2,1:5; 3,2:1 -1OIV,1G111), 1A @ Dnieper (6,6:2 -1BIV), Danubia (4,3:3 -1BIV), 1A @ 1A @ Dalmatia (2,1:6,3; 6,1:5,3 -1OIV,1B111), 1A @ N Appenines (4,1:3 -1B111). Score: 48 + c(1) + M(2) + Mid E(P=3) + China(D=6) + Ind(P=3) + S Eur(P=3) + N Eur(P=2), SE Asia(P=2) = 70.

BYZANTINES (A): Play 1A,C in Balkans (2A11 die)....

Due to the Huns submitting orders a week late, and hours before press time, we must halt here. I expect orders from Hanna and Tsuk shortly by E-mail. Frueh's orders are already on file. I'll update the e-mailers as things unfold, and post a note to Scott when his next empire is up. We're halfway through, gentlemen. There is going to be more interaction between empires within an epoch from here on in (well, OK, the Aztecs/Incas won't) which means you all must promptly submit orders or the game will bog down to one or two empires an issue (with 21 empires to go at this point).

LEGEND: A = army, C = Capital, c = city, d = destroyed due to lack of legal retreat, F = fort (on land) or fleet (at sea), M = monument, r-??? = retreats to ???, S = sea points, 1A11 = one Azure Epoch II army, - = loses, + = gains.



ENKIDU

EPOCH II
Persians Stamp!



ERRATA: Orange's Greek City States started at Mores, not Pindus, so he has 1011.C.F at the former and 1011 at the latter and 2011.F at M Anatolia.

THE CAST:

Dave Anderson (Green = G, 5 SP)
Ty Hare (Xanthous = X, 12 SP)
Wayne Morrison (Purple = P, 4 SP)

Michael Tsuk (Orange = O, 13 SP)
Paul Zieske (Red = R, 10 SP)
Rudy Zodda (Black = B, 4 SP)

BOARD: Hindu Kush (1GI), Persian Plat (1GI), Turanian Pl (1GI), Nubia (2OI), Balkans (1OI), Crete (1OILc), Mores (1OILc.F), Pindus (1OI), W Anatolia (2OILF), Black S (1O), E Med (1O), Red S (1O), Arabian Pen (1PI), Palestine (1PI), Levant (1RI), U Nile (1RLc.F), Chekiang (1RII), GPOC (1RII), Irrawaddy (1RII), Szechuan (1RII), Tarim Basin (1RII), Wei R (1RII.C.M), Yellow R (1XILc.F), E Anatolia (1XILc), L Indus (1XII), M Tigris (1XILc.M), Persian Salt Des (1XII), U Indus (1XII), U Tigris (1XII.M.C), Zagros (1RI), L Tigris (3WILc.F).

SCORE: O(24), X(22), R(20); P(8), G(7), B(6)

EPOCH II (cont):

SCYTHIANS (G): Play 1A @ Caucasus, 1A @ E Anatolia (1.1:4.1 - 1A) (6.1:5.3 - 1XILc), 1A.M @ Zagros (6.2:3 - 1XII), 1A @ U Tigris (5.4:1 - 1XILc + c), 1A @ Levant (5.5:3 - 1RI), 1A @ M Tigris (6.3:2 - 1XILc). SCORE: 7 + C(0) + c(0) + M(3) + Mid E(D=6) + Ind(P=2) = 18.

CARTHAGINIA (P): Play "N Amer Migrants": 1A each @ G Lakes & G Plains. Play "Phoenicia": 1A.C @ Levant (1GI r-E Anatolia), 1F @ E Med (4.1:1 - OF), 1A @ Libya, Play 1A.C.M @ Shatt's Plat, 1F @ W Med, 1A @ S Iberia, 1A @ Dalmatia, 1A @ C Europe, 1A @ Pindus (2.1:1.1 - 1OI), 1A @ Mores (2.1:4+1 - 1PII), 1A @ C Massif. SCORE: 8 + C(2x2) + c(1) + M(2) + S(2) + Mid E(P=3) + N Afr(D=4) + S Eur(D=4) = 28

PERSIA: (B). Play 1A.C.M @ Persian Plat (1GI r-Hindu Kush), 1A @ Zagros (5.5:6 - 1BI) (6.2:3 - 1GI), 1A @ "Treachery" on L Tigris (-3WILc + c), 1A @ M Tigris (4.2:3 - 1GI), 1A @ U Tigris (2.2:3; 5.4:6 - 2BI) (6.5:2 - 1GI), 1A @ Levant (4.1:4; 4.3:4; 6.4:6; 6.2:1 - 1PI.C + c). Play "Shipbuilding", 1F @ E Med (6.5:3 - PF), 1F @ Black (3.1:2 - OF), 1F @ E Med, 1A @ Shatt's Plat (5.5:3.1 - 1PII.C + c), 1A @ Crete (4.2:3.2 - 1OILc), 1A @ Hindu Kush (5.1:4; 6.5:2 - 2GI), 1A @ U Indus (5.1:6 - 1BI), 1F @ Persian Plat. SCORE: 6 + C(1x2) + c(2) + M(4) + S(2) + Mid E(D=6) + N Afr(P=2) + Ind(P=3) + S Eur(P=2) = 29.

SCORE (SP/VP): R(10/20), P(12/28.5), X(12/22), G(12/18), O(14/24), B(22/29)

Your draw position is _____ and the card drawn is _____. Due soonest are your keep/pass decision and (for the snail mailers) orders for the Celts and Macedonians, should you get either of them.

BOARD: Crete (1BI), Hindu Kush (1BI), Levant (1BI), L Tigris (1BI.c), M Tigris (1BI.M), Persian Plat (1BI), Shatt's Plat (1BI.c.M), U Indus (1BI), U Tigris (1BI.M), Zagros (1BI.M), Black S (1B), E Med (2B), Turanian Pl (1GI), Caucasus (1GI), E Anatolia (1GI), Nubia (2OI), Balkans (1OI), Mores (1OILc.F), W Anatolia (2OILF), Red S (1O), Arabian Pen (1PI), G Lakes (1PI), G Plains (1PI), Libya (1RI), Palestine (1PI), C Europe (1PI), C Massif (1PI), Dalmatia (1PI), Pindus (1PI), S Iberia (1PI), W Med (1P), Upper Nile (1RLc.F), Chekiang (1RII), GPOC (1RII), Irrawaddy (1RII), Szechuan (1RII), Tarim Basin (1RII), Wei R (1RII.C.M), Yellow R (1XILc.F), L Indus (1XII), Persian Salt Des (1XII).

LEGEND: A = army, C = Capital, c = city, M = monument, F = fort (on land) or fleet (at sea), r-??? = retreats to ???, S = sea points, B.G.O.F.R.X = faction colors, I-VII = epoch, 2GIV = two green Epoch IV armies, 1R = one red fleet, (6.5:3 - 1BI) = attacker rolls 6&5 defender (Black) rolls 3 and loses one Epoch II army.



REVENGE IS SWEET

PHASE CHANGE!!

EIRE, B&M, and CP Float!



ERRATA: Butitta has 1 NYNH&H.

PLAYER STATUS: (Certificate Limit: 11)

Quist \$172.5 B&O(Prez). 2 NYNH&H(VP). 1 NYC <Priority>
 Hanna \$188.5 C&O(Prez). 2 B&O(VP)
 R. Fisher \$107. C&SL. 6 NYNH&H(Prez). 4 NYC(Prez)
 Chinnery \$71.5 PA(Prez)
 Butitta \$129. C&A. 4 PA(VP). 1 C&O. 1 NYNH&H
 Morrison \$91. SVN&RR. 4 C&O(VP)

CORPORATION STATUS:

Company	Value	Pool	Bank	Par	Cash	Trains	Tokens
PA	D130	1	0	n/a	\$254	34	1
C&O	A112	0	0	n/a	\$380	34	0
B&O	D90	0	3	\$100	\$384	34	2
NYNH&H	K30a	1	0	n/a	\$71	34	0
NYC	K30b	1	4	\$82	\$215	3	3.D&H,M&H

OPERATING ROUND 6.2

Morrison collects \$5 from SVN&RR. Fisher collects \$10 from C&StL. Butitta collects \$25 from the C&A. and NYC collects \$35 from the D&H and the M&H.

PA: Lays Tile #23 in H14(e). Run H16-I15 (\$80) & F6-G7-H10-I15 (\$120). Withhold, so price goes to D120. Buy 3-train [\$254+200-450 = \$4].

PHASE CHANGE: All privates are closed. Brown tiles are available. Beginning OR 7 there will be three ORs between SRs. Train limit is now two, so PA surrenders its 3-train, which is now available from the bank.

C&O: Lay Tile #59 in H18(w). Run F6-G7-H10-I15 (\$120) & H18-H16-I15 (\$110). Pay dividend (CCH +\$115, WMM +\$92, JB +\$23), so price moves to A126.

B&O: Lay #85 in H18(ne). Play token in G19S (\$384-40 = \$344). Run K13-J14-I15 (\$120) and I15-I19-H18-G19S (\$170). Pay (MQ +\$145, CCH +\$58); price goes to D100.

NYNH&H: Lay #62 in G19(se). Run E19-G19N-F20-F22 (\$150) & F22-F24-E23 (\$120). Pay dividend (RF +\$182, MQ +\$54, JB +\$27, NYNH&H +\$27; so price goes to K40).

NYC: Tile #63 in E19(sw). Play Token in G19N (\$215+35-40 = \$210). Run E19-G19N-F20 (\$130). Pay dividends (RF +\$52, MQ +\$13, NYC +\$13). Buy 3-train from NYNH&H for \$220 [\$210+13-220 = \$3].

STOCK ROUND 7

Quist sells 2 NYNH&H & 1 NYC and buys Prez Share of Erie, setting par at \$82. (\$378-80-40-164 = \$334).

Hanna sells 1 B&O then buys Prez share of B&M, setting par at \$90 (\$361+120-90 = \$391). B&O drops to E90.

Fisher buys Pool share of B&O (\$313-90 = \$223).

Chinnery passes. Butitta buys 1 PA (\$201-120 = \$81). PA sold out!

Morrison sells 4 C&O and buys Prez share of CP, setting par at \$100 (\$188+504-200 = \$492). C&O plummets to E82.

Quist buys 1 Erie (\$334-82 = \$252).

Hanna buys 1 B&M (\$391-90 = \$301).

Fisher buys 1 B&O (\$223-100 = \$113).

Chinnery and Butitta pass. Morrison buys 1 CP (\$492-100 = \$392)

Quist buys and sells 1 B&M (\$252-90+90). B&M drops to C82.

Hanna buys and sells 1 Erie (\$301-82+82). Erie drops to D76.

Fisher, Chinnery, and Butitta pass. Morrison buys 1 CP (\$392-100 = \$292).

Quist buys 1 Erie (\$252-82 = \$170).

Hanna buys 1 B&M from IO (\$301-90 = \$211)
 Fisher, Chinnery, and Butitta pass. Morrison buys 1 CP (\$292-100 = \$192)
 Quist buys 1 Erie from IO (\$170-82 = \$88). Erie floats!
 Hanna buys 1 B&M from IO (\$211-90 = \$121). B&M floats!
 Fisher, Chinnery, and Butitta pass.
 Morrison buys 1 CP (\$192-100 = \$92). CP floats!
 Quist passes. Hanna buys 1 B&M from IO (\$121-90 = \$31).
 Fisher, Chinnery, and Butitta pass.
 Morrison buys 1 NYC (\$92-40 = \$52).
 All pass.

PA is sold out so rises to C140. Quist has the Priority Card. Due next time are orders for OR 7.1 and as much of OR 7.2 as you can handle. The 3-train is available for \$180, but I'd anticipate a 6-train being bought in OR 7.1 and perhaps even a D.

PLAYER STATUS:

Quist	\$86, 5 B&O(Prez), 5 Erie(Prez) <Priority>
Hanna	\$31, 5 C&O(Prez), 1 B&O, 6 B&M(Prez)
R. Fisher	\$123, 6 NYNH&H(Prez), 4 NYC(Prez), 2 B&O(VF)
Chinnery	\$71, 5 PA(Prez)
Butitta (LG)	\$81, 5 PA(VF), 1 C&O, 1 NYNH&H
Morrison	\$52, 6 CP(Prez), 1 NYC

CORPORATION STATUS:

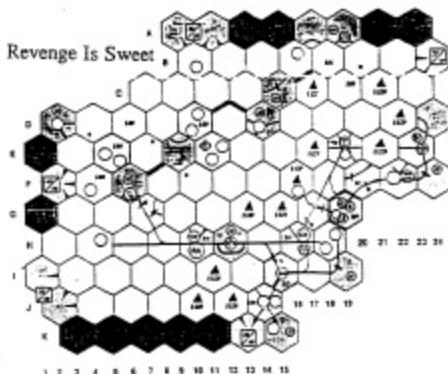
Company	Value	Pool	Bank	Par	Cash	Trains	Tokens
PA	C140	0	0	n/a	\$4	45	1
B&O	D100	0	2	\$100	\$344	34	1
CP	A100	0	4	\$100	\$1000	--	4
C&O	E82	4	0	n/a	\$380	34	0
B&M	C82	1	3	\$90	\$900	--	2
Erie	D76	1	4	\$71	\$820	--	3
NYNH&H	K40a	3	0	n/a	\$315	4	0
NYC	K40b	1	4	\$82	\$3	33	2

TRAINS AVAILABLE: 3.55066DDDDDD

The Bank has \$7,786.

TILES AVAILABLE:

#3(2), #4(2), #7(4), #8(8), #9(6), #14(1), #15(0), #16(1), #18(1), #19(1), #20(1),
 #23(1), #24(2), #25(1), #26(1), #27(0), #28(1), #29(1), #39(1), #40(1), #41(2),
 #42(2), #43(2), #44(1), #45(2), #46(2), #47(1), #55(1), #56(1), #57(4), #58(2),
 #59(2), #61(2), #63(2), #64(1), #66(1), #67(1), #68(1), #70(1)





1835

NE, MS, & SE operiert!

Nicht!



Fertumen: #1 hat einer 2+2-Lok. nicht BY.

Spiekerstellung: (Aktienlimit = 9) (* = Doppelaktion)

Tsuk: 822M, #1, Hann. 1 BY, 1 SX, 2 WT*, 1 HE, 2 MS*
 Butitta (LG): 147M, 8 SX(Dir), #5, 1 WT
 Chinnery @: 53M, 10 BA*(Dir), 1 SX, 1 WT
 Hanna: 165M, #2, #6, 9 HE*(Dir)
 Frueh: 146M, #4, Braun, 5 WT(Dir), 4 MS*(Dir)
 Farrow: 97M, 9 BY(Dir) <der Zug>
 Zieske: 198M, #3, FB, 4 PR, 1 WT

Gesellschaftsteilung:

Name	Wert	Kartell	Bank	Geld	Zuege	Token
#1	---	---	---	5	2+	0
#2	---	---	---	200	3+	0
#3	---	---	---	235	-	0
#4	---	---	---	40	-	0
#5	---	---	---	51	2+	0
#6	---	---	---	135	3	0
BY	E140	0	0	628	3	2
WT	C100	0	0	235	2+,3+,4	0
SX	F92	0	0	530	2+,34	1
BA	C92	0	0	650	3.3+	0
HE	D84	0	0	840	---	2
MS	E80	0	4	480	---	2
PR	D154	0	0	(616)	---	2
OL	E80b	0	1C**	---	---	2

Aktienrunde 9.2: (@ = an Aktienlimit)

Farrow kauft 1 MS (97M-80 = 17M).
 Zieske kauft 1 MS (198M-80 = 38M).
 Tsuk kauft OL Direktor (822M-160 = 662M).
 Butitta verstaatlicht 1 SX aus Chinnery (147M-138 = 9M). @
 Chinnery passt. Hanna kauft 2 OL* (165M-160 = 5M). @
 Frueh kauft 1 MS (146M-80 = 66M). @
 Farrow und Zieske passen. Tsuk kauft 2 OL* (662M-160 = 502M). OL operiert! @
 Allen passen.

BY, SX, BA, WT, und HE sind ausverkauft, also gehen zu D154, E96, B98, B108, und C86, bzw. Butitta hat den Zug.

Betriebsrunde 9.1:

Die Privatbahnen bezahlt 15 M zu Zieske, 25M zu Frueh, and 30M zu Tsuk.

#1: Legt #88 in F6(e). Rennt J4-I3-I1-H2 (100M). Bezahlte (#1 +50M, MT +50M).
 #2: Legt #213 in J6(e) [200M-50 = 150M]. Rennt C11W-B12-C11E-E19-B16-B14 (150M). Bezahlte (#2 +75M, CCH +75M).
 #3: Legt #57 in F10(e). Rennt nicht.
 #4: Rennt nicht.
 #5: Legt #4 in I15(sw). Rennt E21-E19-C11E-B12 (100M). Bezahlte (#5 +50M, LG +50M).
 #6: Legt #25 in E17(nw). Rennt C11W-B12-C11E (90M). Bezahlte (#6 +45M, CCH +45M).
 BY: Rennt M14-N12-O15 (100M). Bezahlte (DF +90, MT +10M); Preis geht zu D172.
 WT: Legt #209 in M9(e). Rennt J3-I3-I1-H2 (100M), G5-G3-H2-I3 (140M), J8-K11-M9-M7-N4 (140 M). Bezahlte (MMF +190M, MT +78M, DGC +38M, LG +38M, P2 +38M); Preis geht zu B120.
 BA: Legt #29 in J12(sw). Rennt M5-L6-J8 (120M) & K11-L14-I17-H20-E19 (130M). Bezahlte (DGC +250M); Preis geht zu B108.
 SX: Legt #88 in I15(w). Rennt H16-I17-K11-J8 (90M) & H20-E19-C11E (120M).

H16-H20-F14-C11S (140M). Bezahlt (LG +315M, MT +35M) Preis geht zu E104.

HE: Legt Token in J8. Legt #8 in I5(w). Legt Token in I3 [840M-6. 780M].
Rennt nicht; Preis geht zu C92. Kauft 3-3-Lok aus #2 und 3-Lok aus #6 [780M-1-1 = 778M].

MS: Legt Token in C13. Legt #12 in A11(ssw). Rennt nicht; Preis geht zu E72.
Kauft 4-Lok aus WT fuer 560M [640M-560 = 80M].

OL: Legt Token in D6. Legt #8 in E7(sw). Legt Token in C11S [480M-80 = 420].
Rennt nicht; Preis geht zu E72. Kauft 4-Lok [420M-360 = 60M].

Wir halten hier. Ich noetig habe fuer Ordnungen fuer Betriebsrunden 9.2 und (wenn moeglich) Aktienrunde 10. Ich erwarte daß der 4+4-Lok und beide 5-Lok werden diese OR verkauft, so planen Sie danach! LG hat den Zug.

Spiclerstellung: (Aktienlimit = 9) (* = Doppelaktien) (● = an Aktienlimit)
Tsuk: ● 703M, #1, Hann. 1 BY, 1 SX, 2 WT*, 1 HE, 2 MS*, 4 OL*(Dir)
Butitta (LG): ● 412M, 9 SX(Dir), #5, 1 WT <der Zug>
Chinnery: 479M, 10 BA*(Dir), 1 WT
Hanna: ● 155M, #2, #6, 9 HE*(Dir)
Frueh: ● 319M, #4, Braun, 5 WT(Dir), 4 MS*(Dir)
Farrow: ● 107M, 9 BY(Dir), 1 MS
Zieske: 171M, #3, PB, 4 PR, 1 WT, 1 MS

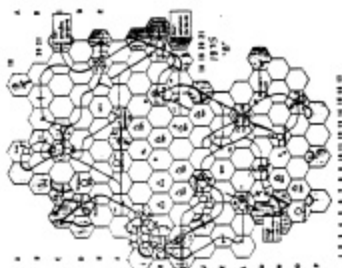
Gesellschaftsteilung:

Name	Wert	Kartell	Bank	Geld	Zuege	Token
#1	---	---	---	55	2+	0
#2	---	---	---	228	-	0
#3	---	---	---	235	-	0
#4	---	---	---	40	-	0
#5	---	---	---	101	2+	0
#6	---	---	---	181	-	0
BY	D172	0	0	628	3	2
WT	B120	0	0	795	3+	0
BA	B108	0	0	650	3,3+	0
SX	E104	0	0	530	34	1
HE	C92	0	0	778	3,3+	0
MS	E72a	0	2	80	4	1
OL	E72b	0	4	80	4	0
PR	D154	0	0	(616)	----	2

Verfuegbare Zuege: 4+, 55, 5+, 66, 6+, 6+6+6+

Die Bank hat 5.285M.

Allen verfuegbaren Wicistellen: #1(1), #2(1), #3(0), #4(1), #5(3), #6(3), #7(8), #8(3), #9(4), #12(0), #13(1), #14(2), #15(0), #16(2), #18(1), #19(2), #20(1), #23(0), #24(1), #25(1), #26(0), #27(1), #28(2), #29(1), #55(1), #57(1), #58(2), #69(1), #67(1), #88(0), #203(2), #204(0), #205(0), #206(1), #211(1), #212(1), #213(0), #214(1), #215(0)





SILVERTON

TURN 2B/3A



THE CAST:

- | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| #1: Don Chinnery | \$4500, (S+1, P), #60, #29 |
| #2: Bill Wordelmann | \$4175, (S, P+1), P2 |
| #3: Wayne Morrison | \$4250, (S+1, P), #64 |
| #4: Paul Zieske | \$4500, (S, P+1), #67 (5 C), P5 |
| #5: Michael Quist | \$4350, (S+1, P), #10, #1? |
| #6: Dan Farrow | \$3700, (S, P+1), #27? |

AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

- | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| #1: Bingham (Au, \$1000/\$300?) | #2: Marysville (Au, \$600/\$200?) |
| #16: Aspen (Ag, \$200/\$200) | #28: Silverton (Ag, \$500/\$250) |
| #27: Silverton (Ag, \$300/\$150?) | #34: Dolores (Imbr, \$700/\$200) |
| #48: Hiewatha (C, \$300/\$100) | Passengers Cards 1,3,4,5,12 |
- The Deck

TURN 2B/3A ACTION:

- #1: Buy #2 (-\$500). Survey C Springs to Pueblo (-\$500). Prospect Pass Card #1 (-\$225).
- #2: Run Pass #2 (+\$250). Survey Pueblo to Canon City (-\$500). Prospect Pass Card #3 (-\$825).
- #3: Buy #67 w/5 C from #4 (-\$1400). Work #64 (-\$250, 8 -> 3 C) & #67 (-\$150, 8 -> 3 C). Survey Walsenburg westward (-\$1400). Prospect Card #26 (-\$500).
- #4: Sell #67 to #3 (+\$1400). Run Pass #5 (+\$100). Survey SE to Price (-\$1000). Prospect #49.
- #5: Buy and work #1 (-\$1000-300: 4+6 -> 1 Au). Work #10 (-\$200, 7 -> D). Survey E towards Rangely (-\$500). Prospect #49.
- #6: Survey length 8 track E to Walsenburg (-\$1600).

DISPUTES: Zieske (10+1) outguns Quist (7+0) for control of #48. (-\$300).

THE MARKETS:

Gold:	5 - nc	Denver Silver	9-0 = -1
SLC Silver	4-0 = nc	Denver Lumber	4-0 = +1
SLC Lumber	6-0 = nc	Pueblo Lumber	7-0 = -1
SF Lumber	5-0 = +1	Denver Coal	6-0 = nc
SLC Coal	6-0 = nc	Pueblo Coal	9-0 = -1
SF Coal	9-0 = -1		

PLAYER STATUS

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|---------------------|--|
| #1: Don Chinnery | \$3175, (S+1, P), #60, #2, P1 |
| #2: Bill Wordelmann | \$2100, (S, P+1), P2, P3 |
| #3: Wayne Morrison | \$850, (S+1, P), #64(3 C), #67(8 C), #26 |
| #4: Paul Zieske | \$4700, (S, P+1), P5, #49 |
| #5: Michael Quist | \$2350, (S+1, P), #1(1 Au) |
| #6: Dan Farrow | \$2100, (S, P+1) |

AVAILABLE CLAIMS:

- | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| #6: Georgetown (Au, \$400/\$150) | #9: Silverton (Au, \$800/\$250) |
| #12: Eureka (Ag, \$500/\$250) | #16: Aspen (Ag, \$200/\$200) |
| #27: Silverton (Ag, \$300/\$150) | #34: Dolores (Imbr, \$700/\$200) |
- Passengers Cards 4,6,7,9,11,12
- The Deck

Due next time are your operate and deliver decisions for your claims, and your surveying and prospecting brothers for Turn 4. Remember, Turn 4 is a SNOW turn.

THE MAP:

Owned routes have their prices replaced by the owning player's number. Purple (snow-blocked) routes have their price/owner # underlined. Current prices have a black dot in the appropriate box.

PRESS: SILVERTON went-eds work!



KREMLIN

KRAKEMHEDS ON TRIAL I

YEAR 3



The Cast:
 Dave Anderson: (RUSKIE)
 Scott Cameron: (POCKY)
 Ron Fisher: Reakionary Burakretic Faktion (RBF)
 Mark Fruch: Modern Madonna Faction (MMF) <2 Waves>
 Mike Quist: Bolshevik And neo-Revisionist Fringe (BARF)
 Rudy Zaida: (BRIBES)

POLITBURO

Party Chief:	Wesolin (Z), 53	10 MMF*, 9 POCKY, 2 BARF
KGB Head:	Manjak (P), 57+	9 MMF*, 4 BARF, 3 BRIBES
Foreign Minister:	Krakemheds (E), 74(w)?	3 RBF*
Defense Minister:	Palevrian (G), 75	2 MMF*, 1 BARF
Ideology Chief:	Niewitko (D), 73+?	
Industry Minister:	Shootemedsky (H), 59(s)	
Economy Minister:	Zenjarplan (Q), 50++?	6 RBF*, 5 BRI, 4 BAR, 1 RUS
Sports Minister:	Purgemoff (F), 71	
Candidates:	B, C, I, O, R	
People:	J(70+), K, L, M, N, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y	
Kremlin Wall:	A	

TURN 3:

1. **CURE PHASE:** All stay at work. Party Chief Wesolin (Z) ages 1 SP to 54. Manjak (P) ages 1 SP to 58 for being sick and on the job. Krakemheds (E) ages 2 SP to 76 for being weak and under investigation. Niewitko ages 2 SP to 75 for being sick on the job and under investigation. Zenjarplan (Q) ages 3 SP to 53 for being both ill and under investigation.

2. **PURGE PHASE:** KGB Head Manjak (P) purges Candidates R (15), O (14), I (9), C (20), and B (14), but fails to purge Economy Minister Zenjarplan (Q), thus aging 8 SP to 75.

3. **SPY INVESTIGATION PHASE:** Defence Minister Palevrian (G) brings Foreign Minister Krakemheds (E) to trial. Since no one submitted Guilty/Innocent orders, we'll halt here. Remember, only two "Innocent" votes are required for acquittal and the accused can vote.

Due next time are your orders for the Trial and the Health Phase.

POLITBURO

Party Chief:	Wesolin (Z), 54	10 MMF*, 9 POCKY, 2 BARF
KGB Head:	Manjak (P), 58+	9 MMF*, 4 BARF, 3 BRIBES
Foreign Minister:	Krakemheds (E), 76(w)?	3 RBF*
Defense Minister:	Palevrian (G), 75	2 MMF*, 1 BARF
Ideology Chief:	Niewitko (D), 75+?	
Industry Minister:	Shootemedsky (H), 59(s)	
Economy Minister:	Zenjarplan (Q), 63++?	6 RBF*, 5 BRI, 4 BAR, 1 RUS
Sports Minister:	Purgemoff (F), 71	
Candidates:	<5 vacancies>	
People:	J(70+), K, L, M, N, S, T, U, V, W, X, Y	
Siberia:	B, C, I, O, R	
Kremlin Wall:	A	

LEGEND: * = controlling faction. (s) = strong in post, (w) = in post, + = sick, ++ = ill, ? = under investigation



DUNE

Quiet Turn



TURN 8

NOTICE: We have a new BG player.

ATREIDES: (R. Shacklett) KH, 2C, 2S.
BENE GESSERIT: (Anderson) 3C, 15S, 8T in Carthag, 6T in Habbanya Ridge Sietch, 2T in Tuek's Sietch, 1T in Sietch Tabr.
EMPEROR: (R. Fisher) 4C, 35S, 1T in Tuek's Sietch.
FREMEN: (Morrison) 4C, 4S, 3T in The Great Flat, 2T in False Wall West(s16), 2T in False Wall East(s9), 1T in Habbanya Erg, 2T & 1* at Sietch Tabr.
GUILD: (Tsuk) 2C, 7S.
HARKONNEN: (Klausatis) 5C, 2S, 3T in Habbanya Ridge Sietch.
TANKS: A 9T, B 3T, E 12T & 6*, F 7T & 2*, H 14T, G 18T, Cpt Aramsham, S Mapes, Dr Yueh, T Hewat, Chani, D. Idaho, Cpt Nefud, S Tuek, Basher, F Reutha.
 The Shield Wall has been blown.

TURN 8

1. Storm moves to Sector 10, killing all in Arrakeen.
2. Shai-Halud appears twice at Sibaya Ridge. Spice Blows are at Cielego South (12) and Oh Gap (6). The latter is under Storm, so the spice there is destroyed. Ten Spice remain in South Mesa. We have a Nexus. Alliances may be made or broken.
3. Bidding: H & B receive 2S in CHOAM charity. There are 4 cards available.
 B & G bid 1S; B gets _____ on most S tiebreak (-1S to E)
 G bids 1S, gets _____ (-1S to E)
 G bids 1S, gets _____ (-1S to E)
 A bids 2S, gets _____ (-2S to E)
4. Revival: A revives 2T, B revives 2T, E revives 1* & 2T (-4S), F revives 2T & 1*, G revives 3T (-4S), H revives 2T.
5. Shipping: E ships 4T, 1* to Tuek's Sietch (-5S to G); B hitchhikes 1T along. F starts 2T & 1* in Polar Sink.
6. Movement: B moves 8T from Carthag to Imperial Basin(s9) via the Polar Sink. F moves 3T from Great Flat to Polar Sink.
7. Combat: None.
8. Spice Collection: E collects 1S for Tuek's Sietch.

TURN 9

1. Storm moves to Sector 12; it will next move to Sector ____.
2. Shai-Halud appears in Cielego South and destroys 12S there. Spice Blows are at Cielego South (12) and Rock Outcroppings (6). Ten Spice remain in South Mesa. We have a Nexus. Alliances may be made or broken. The top Spice Card is _____.
3. Bidding: A & B receive 2S in CHOAM charity. There are 2 cards available. They are _____ and _____.

LEGEND: * = starred token, @ = aggressor, A = Atreides, B = Bene Gesserit, C = card, E = Emperor, F = Fremmen, G = Guild, H = Harkonnen, KH = Kwitzsch Haderach, L = leaders, S = spice, sf = sector #, T = token.

ATREIDES: (R. Shacklett) KH, 3C, 2S.
BENE GESSERIT: (Anderson) 4C, 16S, 8T in Imperial Basin(s9), 6T in Habbanya Ridge Sietch, 2T in Tuek's Sietch, 1T each in Sietch Tabr.
EMPEROR: (R. Fisher) 4C, 31S, 5T, 1* in Tuek's Sietch.
FREMEN: (Morrison) 4C, 3S, 5T & 1* in Polar Sink, 2T in False Wall West(s16), 2T in False Wall East(s9), 1T in Habbanya Erg, 2T & 1* at Sietch Tabr.
GUILD: (Tsuk) 4C, 8S.
HARKONNEN: (Klausatis) 5C, 2S, 3T in Habbanya Ridge Sietch.
TANKS: A 7T, B 1T, E 12T & 4*, F 5T & 1*, H 12T, G 15T, Cpt Aramsham, S Mapes, Dr Yueh, T Hewat, Chani, D. Idaho, Cpt Nefud, S Tuek, Basher, F Reutha.
 The Shield Wall has been blown.



STELLAR CONQUEST

Game Progress



The games are presently awaiting:

FLESH GORDON--Turn 32 Production and movement orders for Turns 33-36.
SIMON WAGSTAFF--Turn 32 Production and movement orders for Turns 33-36.

One player in each game is tardy. Efforts are underway to replace the sluggards.

Please expedite your orders. The time you save is only your own.

CIRCUS MAXIMUS

The following are the entrants in the big race.

NAME FACTION	COLOR	NAME (PA/DAY)	GAAT	TEAM	END	WIN	SAD
1. Andersoni	Green	Meddus Davidus (0/5)	H	7545	21		21
2. Zieski	Purple	Sertorius (+2/9)	M	5435	27		19
3. Coxus	Pink	Luscious Lactus (+2/8)	H	5324	24		16
4. Andersoni	White	Angela Amazonae (0/5)	H	5446	30		20
5. Frytngi	Red	Marcia Victoria (+1/8)	M	7435	21		21
6. Coxus	Yellow	Rendius Rebibus (+2/8)	H	5434	36		18
7. Frytngi	Black	Puppus Maximus (+1/5)	H	5435	33		18
8. Zieski	Blue	Quintus (+1/5)	H	5445	33		20

Due next time are bets and orders for Turn 1. The latter should include (1) whether you will whip or not, (2) who to attack if given the chance, (3) what lane you want to end in and what to do if you can't, (4) any conditional orders you care to make based on whatever may have happened before or during your turn.

—BOLDHOME (cont from pp 3 & 5)

BOLDHOME

FALL 1904 Action

PRB sells 400 crowns, 500 pounds, 500 francs, 500 lire, and 500 rubles, then buys 2500 piasters (\$71-448+525+455+455+520-2046 = \$83).

RVE sells 500 crowns and 500 rubles, then buys 1000 lire (\$110+560+620-930 = \$460).

	US	AUS	ENG	FRA	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR	
FAL03a:	1.00	1.12	1.05	0.93	0.99	0.83	1.24	0.95	
FAL04:	1.00	1.03	1.00	0.88	0.99	0.88	1.14	1.17	
Corp	US	AUS	ENG	FRA	GER	ITA	RUS	TUR	Value
PRB	44	0	300	500	500	2000	3100	2700	\$9719
RVE	480	1000	1500	500	1500	1000	1500	0	\$7505
RTE	0	1000	1000	1750	500	500	500	1750	\$7183
Per	0	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	\$7130
CLOWNS	42	1800	1500	0	1100	0	1000	1200	\$7077
TPB	81	1500	700	1100	1300	300	300	1600	\$7073

LEGEND: CLOWNS = Contents; Libilities of Worthy Nations Securities, PRB = Peoples' Revolutionary Bank, RVE = RV Exchange, TPB = Tundra Peet Bank.



MAGIC REALM

Bart & Co. Did Too Make
House!



The Cast

John Butties:
Scott Cameron:

Marcel Carboneau:
Don Chinnery:
Dan Farrow:
Richard Price:
Jack Shacklett:
Michael Tsuk:

"Moonoggie" the Sorcerer (Bushytail, Misty)
"Wolf Ironhelm" the Berserker (deceased)
"Black Bart" the Black Knight
"Amber Rose" the Amazon
"Scotch" the Witch King (Ribbit Silky)
"Woody" the optional Wizard (retired)
"Sir Jordan" the White Knight (retired)
"Fang Gulfwulf" the Berserker
"Capt Avalon" the optional Captain (deceased)

ERRATA: Bart & Co. have a workhorse they looted from the Guard. I seemed to remember that and had Mr Nar research back issues while I worked out the scores. Alas! She missed the errata in issue #22 awarding Bart the horse. On the other hand, Bart neglected to activate the horse, but this is a "friendly" game. I also misread his VCs (1 pt to fame, not 2), and mucked up everyone's score when it came to negative values (Scotch's Fame, most folk's gold).

DAU 28

Gold Magic

Monster Roll - 5

Black Bart & Company @ Le3: activate M6/L4* horse, abandon H armor, M Le6, M Le1, M Le4, M AV2, MAV5.

C2 lures SHQ, C5 lures S1, CHQ lures S3, and C1 lures S4. Bart runs away. C2 swings H6* (dodges 4, C3 thrusts H6*, C4 smashes H6* at the cornered SHQ, who smashes H5* at C2 while ducking 5. Length prevails as C3 cleaves him from pete to patella; the Soldiers' items are abandoned. C5 swings lustily T4* at S1 while dodging 6; S1 swings M4* while dodging 5 into Death's embrace. CHQ swings M3* and dodges 5 at S3 who "swings" his crossbow T(H+1 level(2.1))1 while dodges. The Harvester also collects CHQ whose items are now abandoned in the clearing. C1 swings M4* at S2, dodging 3 while S2 thrusts H6 and charges 4, causing both to miss.

The pikemen now attack S3 using the same battle plan: S3 fires M(H-1 level(4.1)) as a thrust as he charges 4. C2 takes a quarrel through the the heart, but S3 is felled by C3. Meanwhile, C1 swings M4* at S2 while dodging 3 and C5 thrusts T4*, S2 swings H6* and dodges M4*. C1's blow is quicker, so S3 is slain before his blow finds the mark. Bart gains 16N for the slain Soldiers, but loses 6N for his fallen Companions. He also forfeits 10G pocket change for not being in the clearing.

RESOLUTION:

CHARACTER:	GT	Spells	Fame	Not	Gold	VP
Black Bart	0/0	0/0	22/10	45/40	22-40/30	-10
Woody	2/1	4/4	23/10	-6/20	4-11/30	-20
Scotch	0/0	0/2	-4/20	45/40	16-10/0	-33
Amber Rose	0/2	0/0	6/10	6/20	14-35/0	-36
Fang Gulfwulf	1/1	0/0	8/20	9/20	3-23/0	-39
Moonoggie	0/0	0/0	6/20	10/20	10-10/60	-42
Sir Jordan	1/?	0/?	21/?	11/?	17-37/?	?
Capt Avalon						-100
Wolf Ironhelm						-100

GT = Great Treasures, Not = Notoriety, VP = Victory Points, X/Y points got (X) versus points wanted (Y), ? = can't find VP level (never submitted or lost). Under Gold x-y/z: x = gold on hand, y = 10 starting gold + cost of starting weapon and armor, z = gold for victory point.

On Deck

1829: Zieske(S). Chinnery(N). Wordelmann. Quist. Farrow(B). Could take 4 more.

1830: Bodkin(?). Chinnery. Farrow. Klausutis. Morrison. Zieske. Wordelmann. Hare. Osborne. Alternates Chinnery. Frueh. Tsuk & Wordelmann. Puffenberger & Zieske for "Coalfields". Weiss any variant.

1835: Chinnery. Quist. Wordelmann. Zieske & Hare signed up. Chinnery and Farrow signed up for any variant. Alternates Frueh. Tsuk & Wordelmann.

BOURSE: "Aida-Chur" closed. "Boldhome" has continuous openings.

CIVILIZATION: Carbonneau. Morrison. Weiss. Osborne

DIPLOMACY: Whitehair(?). Osborne. Alternates Carbonneau. Ford. Franz. Frueh. Hanna. Morrison. Sessler. Tsuk. Wilson.

DOWN WITH THE KING: Butitta. Vandine(?). Campisano. Osborne. Need 1 to 4 more.

DUNE: Anderson. Weiss. Osborne.

HISTORY OF THE WORLD: Weiss. Farrow. Zedda

KINGMAKER: Carbonneau. Osborne

KREMLIN: Puffenberger. Campisano.

LIFTOFF: York. Cox(?). Butitta. Campisano

MAGIC REALM: Carbonneau. Bodkin(?). Chinnery. Osborne. Cameron. Butitta (need 1-10 more)

MERCHANT OF VENUS: Quist. Puffenberger. Wordelmann. Chinnery. Weiss(?). Osborne

TITAN: Carbonneau. Osborne

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